

FORM 128 USE PREVIOUS
3-63 EDITIONS

MFC. 9-66

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

COMINT CHANNELS
TOP SECRET

DATE

TO

FROM

ACTION:

INFO

NRO/NSA/ONI/DOS
DECLASSIFICATION/RELEASE

OSA/TSO 1-15

ROUTING

1	USIB	9
2		10
3		11
4		12
5		13
6		14
7		15
8	John	16

TO

INFO

25X1

CITE

TOP SECRET HANDLE VIA [] COMINT CONTROL SYSTEMS JOINTLY

052231Z CITE STATE RCI [] 25X1

PRIORITY OPCEN

PROJECT IDEALIST

PLEASE PASS TO EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, USIB.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, USIB FROM GEORGE C.
DENNEY, JR., ACTING STATE MEMBER, USIB. SUBJECT: REQUIREMENT FOR
U-2 RECONNAISSANCE OF THE MIDDLE EAST -- USIB-D-41.14/310.

THE COMOR PAPER CIRCULATED ON 3 JUNE AS OPCEN-1532 RECOMMENDED
THAT [] THIS 25X1

PAPER WAS SUPERSEDED BY A LATER PAPER FROM THE DCI, [] 25X1
WHICH INDICATED THAT THE [] 25X1

[] OF THE MIDDLE EAST. 25X1

THE STATE POSITION, TELEPHONED TO MR. PETER JESSUP OF 303
COMMITTEE ON JUNE 3, WAS: (1) THAT A FLIGHT SHOULD IN NO EVENT
GO BEFORE JUNE 9. UNSAID BACKGROUND FOR IT WAS THAT SENSITIVE
NEGOTIATIONS INVOLVING THE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UAR WERE

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COMINT CHANNELSGROUP 1
EXCLUDED FROM AUTO-
MATIC DOWNGRADING
AND DECLASSIFICATION

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IN 78578 (STATE RCI [REDACTED])

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BEING ARRANGED; (2) THAT STATE DESIRED DETAILS OF
IMPORTANT INTELLIGENCE ON STATUS OF OPPOSING FORCES BEYOND THAT
ALREADY AVAILABLE IN COMINT AND OTHER CHANNELS WHICH WOULD BE
OBTAINED BY THE U-2, ESPECIALLY AS IT MIGHT BEAR ON QUESTION
OF INTENTION TO ATTACK.

INR CONCURS WITH THE NEW COMOR RECOMMENDATION OF JUNE 5
ON READYING A U.S. CARRIER FOR USE BY THE U.S. AS A U-2 LAUNCH
AND RECOVERY PLATFORM SUBJECT TO DOD AGREEMENT THAT THE
INTELLIGENCE GAIN IN HAVING A U-2 CARRIER BORNE OUTWEIGHS
OPERATIONAL CONSIDERATIONS INVOLVED IN REMOVAL OF FIGHTER AIRCRAFT.

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